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Engineering Department Monthly Report May 2017

Department Statistics:

New Permits:

Single Family Residence: 7
Multi-Family Residential: 1 (73 units)
Commercial: 0
Office: 0
Non-Profit: 0

Right of Way/Excavation:

Permits Issued: 12
Inspections Completed: 20

Improvement Permits:

Single Family Residence: 10
Multi-Family Residential: 0
Commercial: 14
Commercial Build Out: 0
Fraternity/ Sorority: 5
Office: 0
Non-Profit: 2

Misc. Permits:

Demolition: 0
Change of Use: 0
Sign: 7
Electrical: 6

Storm Water:

Permits Issued: 4
Inspections Completed: 96
(SW permits issued are not included in total)

Total Permits Issued: 64
Building Inspections Completed: 201

Projects:

- **Happy Hollow Road Trail and Street Lighting:** The City recently advertised for bids for a lighting project that will install bollard lighting posts along the trail on the west side of Happy Hollow Rd. and street/trail style lighting on the northern half of the project from Hollowood Dr. to Chippewa St. The opening of bids is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. on June 13th at the Board of Public Works and Safety meeting.
- **Kingston Trail:** This project will add a trail along the north side of Kingston Dr. This will run in front of the Happy Hollow Elementary School and be an easier and safer connection route for pedestrians and bicyclists to access the southwestern entry point

of Happy Hollow Park. The project construction was awarded to the lowest bidder, Milestone Contractors, at a cost of approximately \$600,000. Construction is currently scheduled to begin on June 5th, 2017.

- **State Street:** Construction is in full swing on all sections of this project. The closing of State St. at Salisbury St. to University St. occurred as scheduled on May 15th, and will not be reopened until August 11, 2017. The conversion of both Grant St. and Marsteller St. from one-way to two-way traffic has occurred. Andrew Place & Sheetz St. were also converted to two-way traffic. Construction of the north side of the roundabout at Tapawingo Dr. & State St. has begun. Rieth-Riley, the primary contractor, is coordinating the construction of State St. along with the relocation of multiple utilities.
- **2016 CDBG:** This project which is working on improving ADA compliance for our sidewalks and replacing broken curb and gutter sections in the New Chauncey area is underway. Littleton St. (between Stadium Ave. & Quincey St.) is complete. The contractor has also completed Stadium Ave. and Sylvia St. (between Salisbury St. & Grant St.). They are currently working on Vine St. (between Stadium Ave. & Meridian St.), and should be wrapping that up shortly.
- **Community Crossings:** This project involves the repaving of N. Grant St. from Meridian St. to Salisbury St. and Salisbury St. from Robinson St. to Grant St. as well as the following side streets: W. Sunset Lane, Forest Hill Dr., Hayes St., W. Leslie Ave. & Hillcrest Rd. The project also includes the following streets in the Wabash Shores area: Indian Trail Dr. from E Lindberg Ave to Knox Dr., Chippewa St from Pawnee Dr. to Happy Hollow Rd., Pawnee Dr. from Indian Trail Dr. to Chippewa St., E. Navajo St. from Indian Trail Dr. to Chippewa St., and Knox Dr. from Indian Trail Dr. to Happy Hollow Rd. Along with the repaving work, work will also be done to replace bad sections of both sidewalk and curb in these areas. The school zone on Grant St. in front of West Lafayette High School will also be updated as a part of this project. The project was awarded to the low bidder, Milestone Contractors, at the Board of Public Works and Safety meeting on 4/15/17. Construction is currently scheduled to begin on June 5th, 2017.